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hear people talking about this case? A. About Monday morning following.

Q Monday morning, the 18th? A. Well, whatever date that would be. The Monday following the 14th, Thursday the 14th.

Q You discussed with friends with whom you talked over this matter, the matter of the murders, the fact that you had been down here that Thursday night? A. Yes. Just a moment. Pardon me for interrupting, but possibly you would like to know why I picked that as five minutes of ten.

Q Yes. A. This watch, and another one I have, one of these cheap Ingersol watches that I carried down here to save a good watch, was a watch that I had. It has one of those luminous dials. Now, on my good watch--it is a honey case watch--on those honey case watches you press the stem and the twelve is where the nine is on this. The twelve in this watch is directly below the stem. In my other watch the stem would be around at three o'clock, I suppose it would be, whatever it is, a quarter of a circle further away, and in pulling the watch out, through force of habit and holding it, I could not determine what time it was.

Q You were using what watch? This? A. This watch (indicating).

Q That is a luminous watch? A. Yes, and I did not wear my glasses then as I do now all the time, and I kept turning